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Formal drawings (Figs. 1-6; 6 sheets) are attached. Use Figure

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The executed Assignment is filed herewith.

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Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

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the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. _____, filed ____.-Priority of foreign application No. <u>2001-200823</u> filed <u>July 2, 2001</u> in <u>JAPAN</u> is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).

A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is filed herewith.

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SMALL ENTITY			
RATE	FEE		
	\$ 370		
x 9=	\$		
x 42=	\$		
+ 140 =	\$		
TOTAL	\$ 370		

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY

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